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Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision. □ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)	FEE CALCULATION (continued)						
		3. ADDITIONAL FEES					
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The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)	1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☑ Credit any overpayments ☑ Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application	1805	1,840*	-1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		
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1. BASIC FILING FEE	1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month		
Large Entity Small Entity	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month		
Fee Fee Fee Fee <u>Fee Description</u> Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Paid	1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month		
Code (\$)   Code (\$)   Fee Paid	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal		
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing		
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use		
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filling fee	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable		
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0	1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive – unintentional		
	1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee		
Extra Fee from Fee Claims below Paid	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee		
Total Claims -20 ** = 0 X = 0	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
Independent	1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)		
Claims = 0 X = 0	1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
Multiple Dependent  Large Entity   Small Entity	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
Fee Fee Fee Fee Code (\$) Code (\$)	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))		
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be		
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3	•	-		-	examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))		
1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination		
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